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Hon. Valerie E. Caproni, U.S.D.J.  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square, Room 240  
New York, New York 10007

**Re: Nelson v. Bento Nouveau Inc. et al., Case No.: 1:20-cv-1700-VEC**

Dear Judge Caproni:

Please be advised that this office represents the Plaintiff Kareem Nelson ("Plaintiff") in connection with the above-referenced action. We write in connection with your Honor's Order dated, September 11, 2020. (D.E. 25). As previously reported, the above referenced action has been settled and settlement agreement was drafted and provided to counsel for the defendants on September 10, 2020. On October 1, 2020, counsel for the defendants provided Plaintiff with their comments to the agreement, which was finalized and executed by Plaintiff on October 7, 2020. Plaintiff is now waiting for the defendants to execute the agreement. Respectfully, we are requesting together with counsel for the defendants, an extension of time to file an application to reopen this action or a Stipulation of Dismissal, for thirty (30) days, so that the parties can finalize the settlement and ensure the fully executed settlement agreement may be received by all parties and their counsel.

We thank the Court for your time and consideration in this matter.

Application DENIED. The Court will only extend the deadline to reopen this case if the parties choose to file their settlement agreement on the public docket.

SO ORDERED.

10/9/2020

HON. VALERIE CAPRONI  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

cc: Mauro G. Tucci, Esq. (via CM/ECF)

Respectfully submitted,

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/s/ Erik M. Bashian

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